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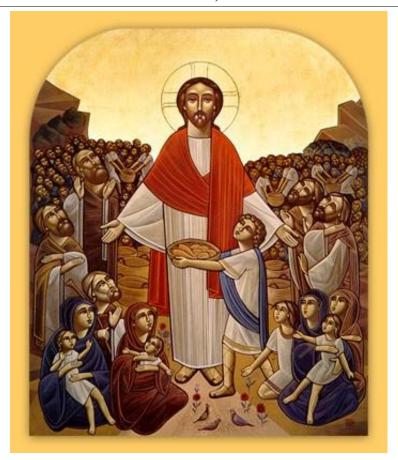




St. Peter's Church 1712 2018

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THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT MARCH 11, 2018



"Jesus said, 'Make the people sit down." Now there was a great deal of grass in the place; so they sat down, about five thousand in all."

(John 6:10)





# THE FOURTH SUNDAY IN LENT ~ MARCH 11, 2018 8:30 A.M. ~ HOLY COMMUNION AND HOMILY 10:30 A.M. ~ MORNING PRAYER AND SERMON ~ Sunday School and Child Care ~

| ~ Sunday School and Child Care ~   |  |                       |
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| Prelude  | CARILLON   | LEO SOWERBY           |
| + PROCESSIONAL HYMN  | 432 O PRAISE YE THE LORD   | LAUDATE DOMINUM       |
|  | CHILDREN'S HOMILY  |                       |
| $\sim$ Children are invited to come forward to the "crossing" for the Children's Homily $\sim$ |  |                       |
| + PENITENTIAL ORDER: RITE ONI  | Celebrant: Bless the Lord who forgiveth all our sins; People: His mercy endureth for ever. | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 319 |
| THE DECALOGUE  |  | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 317 |
| GENERAL CONFESSION   |  | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 320 |
| ABSOLUTION   |  | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 321 |
| + Invitatory Antiphon  | The Lord is full of compassion and mercy;<br>O come, let us adore him.                     | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 43  |
| + VENITE   | CHANT S-4  | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 44  |
| + PSALM  |  | PSALM 122             |
| THE FIRST LESSON   |  | EPHESIANS 2:4-10      |
| ~ THE CHILDREN LEAVE TO GO TO SUNDAY SCHOOL ~  |  |                       |
| + BENEDICTUS ES, DOMINE  | <b>CHANT S-184</b>   | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 49  |
| THE SECOND LESSON  |  | JOHN 6:4-15           |
| + BENEDICTUS   | C. V. STANFORD IN B-FLAT   | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 50  |
| + THE APOSTLES' CREED  |  | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 53  |
| THE PRAYERS AND GRACE  |  | PRAYER BOOK, PAGE 54  |
| + SERMON HYMN  | 620 JERUSALEM, MY HAPPY HOME   | LAND OF REST          |
| SERMON ~ THE REV. PAUL J. HARTT, RECTOR  |  |                       |
| OFFERTORY ANTHEM   | PSALM 122  | LEO SOWERBY           |
| + Doxology   | Hymn 380 ~ Verse 3   |                       |
| CLOSING PRAYER   |  |                       |
| + RECESSIONAL HYMN   | 690 GUIDE ME, O THOU GREAT JEHOVAH   | CWM RHONDDA           |
| POSTLUDE   | O LAMM GOTTES UNSCHULDIG, BWV 656  | J. S. BACH            |
| (+ All Standing)   |  |                       |

## IN THE TRADITIONAL OBSERVANCE OF LENT THERE WILL NOT BE ANY FLOWERS OR GREENS PLACED ON ANY OF THE ALTARS

THE USHERS at the 8:30AM are Bernie Burnell and John Davis
THE USHERS at the 10:30AM Service are William Collins, Kevin Creagan and Jeff Russom

#### ~ Parish Notes ~

**Coffee Hour:** Please join us for coffee hour after the 8:30AM and 10:30AM Services. All are welcome.

**Newcomers:** If you are interested in receiving more information about St. Peter's Church please feel free to call the church office or fill out an information card that is located in your pew. If you would like to be added to the church directory please call the church office.

**Lenten Quiet Day:** Today following the 10:30AM service we will hold our Lenten Quiet Day. We will begin with lunch in the second floor Parish Hall (thank you to the Daughters for providing the luncheon items). We will then return to the sanctuary for a series of meditations and end at 4PM. All are welcome to join us.

**Outreach Committee and Vestry Meetings:** These March meetings will be held this Tuesday, March 13th. Outreach Committee will meet at 4:30PM and Vestry will meet at 5:15PM.

**Lenten Study:** Daily readings continue as do the bi-weekly gatherings. The remaining bi-weekly gatherings are March 20th and April 3rd.

**LENTEN EVENSONG:** Please join us for our Lenten Evensong services which are held every Friday evening during Lent beginning at 5:45PM. We invite you to conclude your work week with this opportunity for worship and reflection. Remaining Fridays are March 16th and 23rd.

**The Last Supper:** Next Sunday, March 18th during the 10:30AM service the Sunday School will reenact the Last Supper. This will include the story of Jesus and his disciples, washing of our feet and taking part in the Most Holy Bread and Wine (juice). All are welcome to take part in this wonderful activity.

**Easter Egg Coloring:** On Sunday, March 25th the Sunday School children will be coloring Easter eggs during the 10:30AM service. Please allow them to dress in "old clothes" - but just in case, there will be a small number of smocks available. We hope all of the children will join in this fun event!

**Easter Lily Requests:** Parishioners and friends wishing to place lilies on the altar at Easter to honor, show thanks, or remember loved ones are asked to complete the enclosed form and return it to the church office with your donation no later than Palm Sunday, March 25th. Suggested donation is \$25.

**Chrism Mass:** You are invited to attend the annual Chrism Mass at the Cathedral of All Saints on Monday, March 26th at 6PM. The clergy of the Diocese will re-affirm their ordination vows and Bishop Love will consecrate the chrism oil for our use during the coming year.

**Good Friday Music at St. Peter's:** On Good Friday, March 30th at 1PM the St. Peter's Choir, with orchestra, will present *The Seven Last Words of Christ* by Franz Joseph Haydn following the Good Friday liturgy at noon. These movements were written by Haydn for Good Friday mediation, and the composer considered it his finest oratorio. All are welcome to attend as your schedules allow, free of charge.

**Annual Easter Egg Hunt:** All are welcome to join the Sunday School children on Saturday, March 31st for the annual St. Peter's Easter Egg Hunt. The festivities will begin at 11AM at the Rectory located at 8 Loudon Heights South, Loudonville, NY 12211. Please be sure to bring a basket and a friend!

**Baptism Celebration:** The Chenot/Gordon Families would like to invite the parish family to a luncheon to celebrate the baptism of Nathan James Gordon on Sunday, April 8th immediately following the 10:30AM Baptism Service. The luncheon will be held in the Parish Hall on the 2nd floor of the Church Guild House. Kindly RSVP to Christie by Wednesday, April 4th at (518)727-4474 or <a href="mailto:chenotl@gmail.com">christie.chenotl@gmail.com</a> or to Janice at (518)786-1070 or <a href="mailto:JEChenot@hotmail.com">JEChenot@hotmail.com</a>.

Please remember in your prayers: Peter Adams, Tom Arnold, Betsy Ballard, Ruth Bornt, Sharon Bornt, Inga Carpenter, Ann Collins, Bill Collins, Morris Daly, Nancy Dennis, Nicky Desso, Anne deVos, Marie Dolan, Hunter Dolbert, Liam, Missy, Moriah, James Dykeman III, Doreen Johnson, Mark Lundberg, Kevin Mastro, Ed Murphy, Lindsay Norville, Bill Purdy, Barbara Richardson, Edmund Schupp, Cyndy Shaffer, The Rev. Dr. Brad Smith, Eileen Smith, Carol Stafford, Earl Stafford, Dean Tessitore, Denise Thomson, Carol Tripp, Christer Westin, Christina Wright, Aunt Rosie and Family.

**Birthdays:** 3/11 ~ Peter Drao; 3/12 ~ Agnes Beverley, Margaret Chaloner, Christy Fish; 3/14 ~ Janice Chenot, Edmund Schupp; 3/15 ~ Paige Cummings, Margaret Hartman; 3/16 ~ Bruce DiStefano; 3/17 ~ Clayton Macomber

#### **OFFICE HOURS**

MON. - FRI. 9:00 AM ~ 5:00 PM TELEPHONE: 518-434-3502 FAX: 518-462-4419

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William Love, Bishop Daniel Herzog, Bishop

### **CALENDAR OF EVENTS**

Sunday, March 11th

12:00PM Lenten Quiet Day

8:30AM Holy Communion and Homily 10:30AM Holy Communion and Sermon, Sunday School, Child Care

Monday, March 12th

5:00PM - 6:15PM Treble Choir Rehearsal

Tuesday, March 13th
1:00PM Friends of St. Peter's
4:30PM Outreach Committee Meeting

5:15PM Vestry Meeting Wednesday, March 14th

8:45AM Top of the Hill 12:05PM Holy Communion 5:45PM Adult History Study

Thursday, March 15th 5:00PM - 6:30PM Treble Choir Rehearsal

5:30PM - 7:00PM Adult Choir Rehearsal Friday, March 16th

12:30PM Organ Concert 5:45PM Lenten Evensong

Saturday, March 17th

11:00AM - 1:00PM Angels in Training at Grace and Holy Innocents

## HOLY WEEK SCHEDULE

March 25th: Palm Sunday

8:30AM Holy Communion Service

10:30AM Choral Holy Communion Service

March 26th: 12:05PM Noon Holy Communion
March 27th: 12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

March 28th: 12:05PM Noon Holy Communion

March 29th: Maundy Thursday

7:30PM Holy Communion ~ Stripping of the Altar

March 30th: Good Friday 12:00PM Liturgy

1:00PM ~ The Seven Last Words of Christ by Franz Josef Haydn performed by The St. Peter's Choir with Chamber Orchestra

March 31st: Holy Saturday

8:00AM Service 11:00AM Egg Hunt at the Rectory

April 1st: Easter Sunday

8:30AM and 10:30AM ~ Choral Holy Communion Services